

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Driggers
Serial No.: 09/256981
Filed: February 24, 1999
For: **PRINT-RECEPTIVE, PILL-
RESISTANT, KNITTED FABRIC**



Examiner: A. Falik
Art Unit: 3741

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2000, please amend the above identified application as shown.

If any further Extension of Time or additional fees for the accompanying response are required, Applicant requests that this be considered a Petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required to Deposit Account 18-1164.

In the Claims:

Cancel Claims 2 and 9, without prejudice.

Amend Claims 1 and 3-5; 7 and 10; 23; and 24 as follows:

1(Amended). A print-receptive, pill-resistant, knitted fabric, said fabric knitted from yarn formed from high-tenacity, staple synthetic fiber having a tenacity value of greater than about 4 grams/denier, wherein said knitted fabric has a pilling resistance value of greater than about 3 and wherein said knitted fabric is a double-knit fabric having a front side and a back side, the front side being formed from said high-tenacity, staple synthetic fiber and the back side being substantially formed from cellulosic yarn, said cellulosic yarn being selected from the group consisting of cotton and synthetic cellulosic fibers.

Claim 3, line 1, change "2" to -1--.